

the charters of the several banks in the city of Baltimore, endorsed "by the house of delegates January 2, 1812; read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments".

*Amendments proposed.*

1st. At the end of the title add "and for other purposes."

2d. Strike out the words "said company in the 11th line of the first page and insert "commissioners hereinafter mentioned.

3d. In the second line from the bottom of the third page strike out the words "same as now located" and insert "said road."

4th. At the end of the bill add,

"AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said banks in the city of Baltimore before this act shall be considered in operation, and enuring to continue the said charters, shall elect and bind themselves to pay into the treasury of the Western Shore, the sum of seven thousand dollars for each and every year during the continuance of their respective charters, as aforesaid, under this law; the sum so as aforesaid to be paid by the said banks, shall be in proportion to their respective capitals, actually paid or to be paid in; and which sums as aforesaid, shall be and they are hereby pledged as a fund for the purpose of supporting county schools.

AND BE IT ENACTED; That it shall be the duty of the treasurer of the Western Shore to demand of the said banks their respective quotas of the said sum, on the first day of January in each and every year during the continuance of this act after the first day of January eighteen hundred and sixteen.

AND BE IT ENACTED, That if the banks aforesaid shall comply with the terms herein as aforesaid provided, by reason whereof the said charters of the said banks shall be revived as aforesaid; that then and in such case all the banks in this state without the city of Baltimore, now incorporated, and all banks that may be incorporated during this session of the general assembly, whose charters may or shall expire with the session of the general assembly which shall be in the year eighteen hundred and fifteen or the end of the session of the next general assembly that shall happen thereafter, shall be, and the same are hereby continued until the year eighteen hundred and thirty five, and the end of the next general assembly that shall be thereafter.

AND BE IT ENACTED, That James M. Lingan and Upton Beall of Montgomery county, and two other persons to be designated and selected by the directors of the company created by this act, shall be commissioners to select and agree on the point from which the said road shall commence as aforesaid; and if the said commissioners so as aforesaid appointed cannot agree, that then and in such case the said persons shall proceed to select some other fit and proper person to aid and assist them in the selection of the